

REMARKS:

Upon entry of this amendment, claims 1-10 will be pending, claims 11 and 12 having been cancelled. No new matter has been introduced. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

In the final Office Action dated May 18, 2007, the Examiner stated that claims 1-10 were allowed. The Examiner indicated that the application was in condition for allowance except for the presence of claims 11 and 12. The applicants have cancelled claims 11 and 12.

Entry of this amendment is respectfully requested on the ground that it places the application in condition for allowance.

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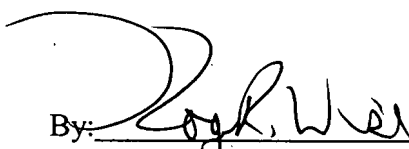
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Applicant believes the foregoing amendments place the entire application in condition for allowance. If for any reason the Examiner finds the application other than in condition for allowance, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned attorney at the Los Angeles telephone number (213) 488-7100 to discuss the steps necessary for placing the application in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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